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Klaus-Ulrich LANGE et al.

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO 1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed.

The references submitted herewith have been discussed in detail on pages and of the instant specification in the section entitled:

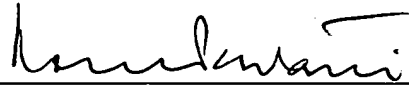
DE 33 02 036 and corresponding U.S. Patent No. 4,491,310 disclose an adjustable folding apparatus.

DE 39 00 663 and corresponding U.S. Patent No. 4,957,280 disclose a uniform speed pinless folding machine.

DE 596596 discloses a cutting device for a printing machine.

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that the copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

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**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

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	AA	4,491,310	01/01/85	Reffert	270	49	01/12/84
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	AF	DE 33 02 036	01/22/83	Germany	Reffert	B65H	45/16	No
	AG	DE 39 00 663	01/11/89	Germany	Motooka	B41F	13/60	No
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OTHER REFERENCES (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

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